

SEEK TO OUST GOVERNOR WHO BACKED MINERS By Gilson Gardner

Washington, Jan. 7.—Because Gov. George B. Hunt of Arizona has not permitted the importation of strikebreakers and gunmen in the copper mining region where 5,000 miners are on strike, petitions are being circulated by the mine owners seeking his recall. The chief owners are Cleveland H. Dodge, William Church Osborn and some other New York multimillionaires.

The situation has been investigated by the industrial relations committee of this city, which is authority for the statement that whereas in Colorado disorder and slaughter unparalleled followed the importation of strikebreakers and gunmen by permission of Gov. Ammons, in Arizona there has been profound peace. The miners are preserving order and the sheriff is actually assisting in the distribution of supplies to the miners' families.

The European war resulted in a vastly increased demand for copper and a big jump in price. The principal corporation involved in this strike, the Clifton-Morenci Co., owned by Phillips-Dodge & Co., with James Douglas as president and Cleveland H. Dodge as vice president, earned in 1912 23 per cent on its capital of \$45,000,000 and paid a 15 per cent dividend.

The principal property of the company at Clifton paid in 1912 a dividend of 146 per cent on a capitalization of \$1,000,000. In explaining the situation to the Walsh industrial relations committee, Gov. Hunt has written: "In discouraging the importation of strikebreakers I have been actuated by the desire to avert bloodshed, to safeguard life and property and to keep in view the possibility of amicable arbitration of differences between employers and employees. It is, in my opinion, hardly reasonable to suppose that any considerable body of workmen will voluntarily

initiate and endure the hardships that inevitably attend a large strike without being firmly convinced that they have grievances which need adjustment and that their case is one entitled to the painstaking consideration of the companies or individuals by whom they are employed."

The companies refuse arbitration or any consideration of the men's demands.

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NOW HE CAN FIGURE OUT WHY FIGS FROM SMYRNA ARE SHY

New York, Jan. 7.—A year ago 100,000,000 pounds of figs were brought to the U. S. from Smyrna. This year, according to John Manola, 90 West Broadway, who represents Smyrna Fig Co., which is said to handle 25 per cent of the fig business in this country, not a single pound has come from Smyrna.

Mr. Manola, who arrived here yesterday aboard Giuseppe Verdi of the Trans-Atlantica Italiana line, said he had left New York on Aug. 21 to find out why there were no more shipments from Smyrna.

"I discovered it after many months of suffering and hairbreadth escapes from death," said Mr. Manola. "The Turkish soldiers had eaten them up for food, of which there is a great scarcity.

"When I found that a five-gallon can of kerosene oil was selling at \$16 I lost interest in Smyrna and started to come home."

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ENTERTAINMENT CALLED OFF IN MEMORY OF MISS GOGGIN

Proposed Sunday night dinner and entertainment of Womens' Trade Union league called off in memory of death of Catherine Goggin, late secretary of Chicago Teachers' Federation, under a fenderless Marshall Field & Co. auto truck.

Instead, a 3 o'clock meeting will be held Sunday in the Schiller hall, 64 W. Randolph. Business only will be considered; election of officers scheduled.